

POSITION VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

WORKING TITLE: Fisheries Mgt. Specialist **DIVISION:** Fisheries Management

POSITION NO.: 00207 **PAY BAND:** 4 **Hiring Range:** 31,979 - 37,000

WORK DESCRIPTION: Analyzes and interprets fisheries data to be used in the development of fisheries management plans, reports and presentations affecting marine fisheries management in Virginia. Provides detailed written and verbal evaluations on issues before the commission. Administers the Striped Bass Quota Monitoring Program and management of materials and database. Develops and assures compliance with the compilation and completion of species compliance reports and evaluation. Manages commercial hook and line licensing program which includes eligibility, transfers, and license lottery; manages striped bass aquaculture permit applications; manages Class A Gill net transfers and American Shad By-catch Permit program. Interacts with scientific, regulatory, and fisheries industry groups.

DESIRED QUALIFICATION: Requires strong analytical skills; knowledge of applied seafood harvesting practices and business; scientific knowledge of marine species and the marine environment. Requires well developed skills in speaking and writing. Experience in computer based data management and statistical analysis required. Must have ability to disseminate information to a variety of audiences including fisheries managers, industry based professionals, and the general public. Must be proficient in the use of computer programs, to include MS word, excel, access, and SAS; and ability to create presentation materials from each. Degree preferred.

Position requires physical ability to lift up to 50 lbs; pushing and pulling; standing, sitting, reaching, walking, bending, stooping, and climbing

WORK LOCATION: 2600 Washington Ave., Newport News, VA

APPLICATION DEADLINE: June 16, 2015

A COMPLETED STATE APPLICATION FORM IS AVAILABLE ON THE STATE WEBSITE: <https://virginiajobs.peopleadmin.com/>

INTERESTED PERSONS PLEASE APPLY TO:

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